

# FIRST PLANNED ROAD IS WANTED

### GENERAL FEELING OF REGRET EXPRESSED BY BUSINESS

#### Old McLellan Survey For Entrance Into City Is Wanted; Latest Plans Are Not Liked

A general feeling of regret is being expressed over the Grande relative to the proposed move which will bring the scenic highway down into the flat at the Rumeilhart property.

Citizen after citizen has stated to the Observer in the last two days that if such is to be the case the project of having a scenic road should be abandoned entirely, rather than put up with the hump road projected.

Reports to the effect that the Grande Ronda hospital is fighting having the highway pass so closely to it seems to be a misunderstanding for the hospital owners not only welcome the road but have stated publicly that the land which the road requires through their property will be freely given.

Up and down Adams avenue the seriousness of the proposed change in the road has begun to set up in the business men and almost without exception the expression is favorable to the old McLellan survey and opposed to the new plan of jumping off the hill at Rumeilhart's and following the flat into Adams avenue.

# IMBLER AGOG OVER CONTEST

### WALLA WALLA JUVENILES GO UP AGAINST REAL BOYS

#### All Business to Stop in Vicinity of Apple Town; Imbler Fan Describes Player's Ability

An Imbler fan who is much excited over tomorrow's game at Imbler when the Imbler juveniles will play the Walla Walla juveniles for the championship of Eastern Oregon and Eastern Washington, today describes the situation in the following snappy style:

"Wednesday, July 27th, Imbler will be the scene of the first real inter-sectional championship baseball game played in Union county for many years. Walla Walla's junior champions, under the guiding hand of Harry Tempson, will journey over the mountains via the Toll Gate and attempt to lower the colors of the fast going Imbler organization, which, by the way, has not had the experience of being beaten this year."

"Everything is all ready, like the food in a canteen, Dr. Lines' athletes have been trained down so fine they can bathe in a glass of water without splashing a drop. In practice they are so fast they wear brakes on their sliding pads to keep them from sliding off the field. The Doctor claims his boys can steal bases with Pinkerton doing the catching for Walla Walla. Looks like the base lines will have to be plowed up in order to give the visitors a chance. The Imbler boys hit the ball so hard that their bats bend in their hands. Even Tuffy Marshall, who balances the beam at 95 pounds, has been slugging at a brutal pace this season.

# CHAMPION JOE LYNCH DEFEATED

### NEW YORK, July 26.—Bete Herman of New Orleans regained the world's bantamweight championship at Ebbet's field last night by receiving the judges' decision over Joe Lynch, of New York, after a 15-round bout.

Herman, staging a sensational comeback, had the better of thirteen rounds, one was even and the other went to Lynch. The New Orleans boy forced the fight from the opening bell. He worked his right and left effectively and Lynch's frequent sallies found him ready to mix. Lynch claimed he injured two fingers of his right hand in the fourth round.

Herman is one of the few fighters to regain a lost championship. Stanley Ketchel, after being knocked out by Billy Papke, returned the favor in a later bout for the middleweight championship.

Jack Britton and Ted Lewis have alternately held the welterweight title. Lynch is the third champion Herman has defeated this year. He knocked out Jimmy Wilde, English flyweight champion in London last winter and two weeks ago he floored Jem Higgins, the English bantamweight champion in 11 rounds.

In honor of the occasion the band will be out and each and every fan will be allowed to make as much noise as necessary to help the boys from Imbler win.

# SPORT POT POURI

### Sports News of Varied Kinds and Sources

#### Weiser: Pitcher Veteran

One can never tell exactly what will happen at a ball game. Last Sunday, with over dose of heat and all that, and a natural decline in baseball, a small audience saw a game at the baseball park that generally speaking pleased the crowd with its many moments of thrills, although it was not all first-class baseball. But next Sunday, La Grande should see a wonderfully "efficient" game when Cove and Weiser meet here to play off the interstate championship. Cove has a team far above the average home-

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#### FORD & GEORGE

town variety. Their wins during the season prove that. They can hit field and think. As for the Weiser team the same can be said of them. They have won 15 out of 16 games played. Parma, a runnerup in the Oregon-Idaho league, being the only team to defeat them this season. Alexander, of Cove, will have a tough nut to crack when he matches up with Weiser's mainstay on the

slab, Orville Webb, who has pitched for Weiser the past three seasons, won distinction when he pitched winning ball for the Marines team of the Pacific Islands nine. He is a steady, reliable player and one that will make Cove hitch her belts tight to find. Fore and aft, it looks like a mighty big ball game that is coming up next Sunday.

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# HIGHWAY IS CLUB TOPIC

### AD CLUB TO HOLD A SPECIAL LUNCHEON

#### Meeting Called at Request of Number of Members to Discuss Oro Dell Proposition.

In order to discuss thoroughly the proposed change in route of the Oro Dell scenic highway the Ad Club will hold a special luncheon at the Foley hotel tomorrow noon.

This meeting is called by Dr. E. P. Mossman, president of the club at the request of numerous citizens and members of the club who have asked that a meeting be called for this purpose in order that the matter be explained thoroughly and action taken to prevent any possible change of route that would destroy the scenic assets of the route.

Lunch will be served at twelve sharp and immediately following the meal the discussion will proceed. The hour for adjournment is one o'clock, making it possible for all business men to get back to their places of business on time.

# HARDINGS PLAN VACATION

### Will be Guests of Secretary Weeks, Following Pilgrimage Celebration

ATHENS, July 25.—President and Mrs. Warren G. Harding are planning a vacation of several days as the guests of Secretary of War John W. Weeks, near Lancaster, New Hampshire, following their attendance next Monday at the Pilgrimage tercentenary celebration, at Plymouth, Mass.

Alexander Had Gold Coffin. Alexander the Great is said to have been buried in a golden coffin.

# GREEN FINDS HIS CLOTHES

R. J. Green received a phone call shortly after noon today stating that a part of the clothing stolen from him recently had been found in back of the Catholic Church, within sight of the county jail. Green had not inspected the find early this afternoon but believes that probably the thief discarded the clothing that had been worn some or he took all in the closet merely for the purpose of searching it.

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